



## GEORGIA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

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### GEORGIA DOT UNVEILS PLANS FOR STATE ROUTE 92 IN DOUGLAS AND PAULDING COUNTIES

CARTERSVILLE, Ga. - A public information open house to discuss the Georgia DOT's proposed project for the widening and reconstruction of State Route (SR) 92 in Douglas and Paulding counties is scheduled for Tuesday, October 27, 2009, from 5 until 8 p.m. The meeting will be held at Stewart Middle School, located at 8138 Malone Street in the city of Douglasville.

Douglas and Paulding counties' residents interested in learning more about the proposed project are encouraged to attend the the meeting and express their thoughts and preferences.

"We would like to hear the viewpoints and concerns of all area residents," said Kent Sager, district engineer at the Georgia DOT office in Cartersville.

The proposed plans call for the widening and realignment of SR 92 from Durelee Lane in Douglas County to Nebo Road in Paulding County, for a distance of 9.1 miles. These plans also include the construction of three grade-separated structures at the intersections of SR 92 with U.S. 78/Bankhead Highway, the Norfolk Southern Railroad, and Strickland Street.

"The Georgia DOT strongly believes that since this project is intended to serve the people of Douglas and Paulding counties, the ideas and preferences of these people are important and can make a difference in our planning process," Sager explained. "This meeting will provide the public with an opportunity to review the proposed widening project, ask questions, and express their preferences as well as their concerns."

The Georgia Department of Transportation is committed to providing a safe, seamless and sustainable transportation system that supports Georgia's economy and is sensitive to both its citizens and its environment. Additional transportation revenues are imperative to grow and sustain Georgia's economic vitality and quality of life through the 21st Century. Georgia is the 3<sup>rd</sup> fastest-growing state in the nation, yet 49<sup>th</sup> in per capita spending on transportation. For general information on the Georgia DOT, please visit our Web site ([www.dot.ga.gov](http://www.dot.ga.gov)).

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